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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are described beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.